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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF WYOMING**

CUSTODIA BANK INC.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD OF
GOVERNORS and FEDERAL
RESERVE BANK OF KANSAS CITY,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:22-CV-00125-SWS

**DECLARATION OF BENJAMIN GRUENSTEIN IN SUPPORT OF
MOTION TO APPEAR *PRO HAC VICE***

I, Benjamin Gruenstein, hereby declare as follows:

1. I am a member in good standing of the State Bar of New York (New York State Bar No. 3897758) and was admitted on October 3, 2000. I am a partner with the law firm of Cravath, Swaine & Moore LLP, 825 Eighth Avenue, New York, NY 10019; Telephone: (212) 474-1000; email: bgruenstein@cravath.com.
2. I have been admitted to practice before the following courts on the dates set forth:
 - Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York; Admitted 10/03/2000
 - District of Columbia; Admitted 05/11/2001
 - US Dist. Court for the District of Colorado; Admitted 09/17/2021
 - US Dist. Court for the Southern District of New York; Admitted 04/17/2008
 - US Dist. Court for the Eastern District of New York; Admitted 04/07/2010
 - US Court of Appeals for the 2d Circ; Admitted 03/07/2012
 - US Court of Appeals for the 6th Circ; Admitted 07/17/2012
 - US Court of Appeals for the 10th Circ; Admitted 05/02/2022
 - US Supreme Court; Admitted 03/04/2013
3. I am not now and have never been subject to a grievance proceeding or removal proceeding while a member of the Bar of the State of New York, or any state or federal court and recognize that I will be subject to the disciplinary jurisdiction of this Court.

EXHIBIT A

4. I agree to comply with and be bound by the local rules of the United States District Court for the District of Wyoming.

5. I acknowledge that local counsel is required to be fully prepared to represent potential *Amicus Curiae* former Senator Patrick J. Toomey at any time, in any capacity.

6. I acknowledge that I am subject to, and submit to, disciplinary jurisdiction of this Court for any alleged misconduct arising in the course of preparation and representation in these proceedings.

7. I respectfully request to be admitted as counsel for potential *Amicus Curiae* former Senator Patrick J. Toomey in the United States District Court for the District of Wyoming for this case only.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.


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